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FM AMEMBASSY PRETORIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 2511

INFO AMCONSUL LUANDA

AMEMBASSY ADDIS ABABA

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ADDIS ABABA FOR RTC

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ASEC, AMER

SUBJECT: DISINTEGRATOR BROKEN--LUANDA

REF: LUANDA 1165; PRETORIA 3098; PRETORIA 3109; ADDIS ABABA 9984

1. RSO DETERMINED VIA KWM-2A THAT LUANDA 1012 DISINTEGRATOR JAMMED DURING OPERATION; MOTOR REMAINED RUNNING AND RESULTING FRICTION BURNED UP THE 1012 BELTS.

2. RSO DESPATCHING 5-MATCHED V-BELTS FROM PRETORIA'S 1012 UNIT VIA TDY COMMUNICATOR WHO IS TRAVELING LUANDA VIA TAP AUGUST 19 FLIGHT. COMMUNICATOR WAS BRIEFED IN DEPTH BY RESIDENT SEABEE AS TO INSTALLATION OF BELTS, UN-JAMMING AND BLADE ADJUSTMENT OF 1012 UNIT. COMMUNICATOR WAS PROVIDED WITH TOOLS TO THIS EFFECT.

3. LUANDA HAS SPARE SET 1012 BLADES ON HAND. IF INSTALLATION NEW SET OF BLADES NECESSARY, TDY COMMUNICATOR CAN ACCOMPLISH.

4. PRETORIA'S 1012 UNIT SHUT DOWN INDEFINITELY PENDING RECEIPT FROM DEPARTMENT OF ANOTHER MATCHED SET OF V-BELTS FOR 1012 UNIT. REQUEST DEPARTMENT EXPEDITE AIR SHIPMENT OF REPLACEMENT BELTS. SUGGEST TWO SETS OF BELTS BE PROVIDED IN ANTICIPATION OF FUTURE EMERGENCIES.

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